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Group Art Unit: 1654
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, Applicant submits the information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 for consideration in the above-identified application. No representation is made that a reference is "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103.

Enclosed herewith are the following documents:

- 1) Form PTO 1449 listing a reference that was previously listed on a Form PTO-892 in the parent application USSN 09/211,507. A copy of the listed document ("Yankee Candle Co. website") is enclosed herewith.
- 2) Copy of a previously submitted Information Disclosure statement (submitted February 19, 2002), and Form PTO 1449. A copy of the listed references (with translations) is enclosed.

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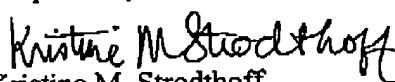
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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Accordingly, no fee is due for the consideration of these references.

Return of the enclosed Form 1449/PTO in the next communication to Applicant, showing the citations as initialed and considered, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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	Yankee Candle Co. website – http://www.yankeecandle.com , product information, 3 pp., downloaded from web Sep 2004.

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